GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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THEFT OF RAILWAY PROPERTY
MOHAN RAWALE

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a notorious gang in connivance with the officials of the Railway Police Force is involved in theftof railway property worth crores of rupees in the Butibori and Umred section of Nagpur Division under Central Railway;

(b) if so, whether any probe has been ordered in this regard; and

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL)

(a) &(b) No, Sir. During the last five years only 3 cases of theft of Permanent Way materials were reported in this section. In the case reported during this year allegation of corruption and negligence against five members of the Force was leveled and a departmental enquiry was conducted.

(c) Disciplinary action has been initiated against the concerned staff.

(d) Does not arise.